से जानना चाहेंगे कि अगर इसी तरह से इनका काम चलता रहेगा तो आम उपभोक्ता का क्या होगा? इसीलिए मंत्री जी बताएं कि नगेन्द्र नाथ ओझा जो सांसद् हैं उनकी कंस्टीटूएंसी जो गांव में है, विलेज में है, 8-9 महीना हो गया है अभी तक फोन नहीं लगा है?

†[ ]

श्री बेनी प्रसाद वर्मा: माननीय सभापति महोदय, इसको हम विशेष रूप से दिखवा लेंगे और हमारा प्रयास होगा कि यह शिकायत जल्दी दूर हो जाए।

MR. CHAIRMAN: The Question Hour is over.

†[ ] Transliteration in Arabic Script.

WRITTEN ANSWERS TO STARRED QUESTIONS

Demand for Releasing further Cotton Quota for Export

*384. SHRIMATI URMILABEN CHIMANBHAIPATEL:
SHRIMATI ANANDIBEN JETHABHAIPATEL:

Will the Minister of TEXTILES be pleased to state:

(a) whether there is a demand from the cotton producing states for releasing further cotton quota for export in order to ensure reasonable price to the farmers;

(b) whether it is a fact that the meeting of the Cotton Advisor Board held in November, 1996 to review the supply and demand position in this regard;

(c) if so, the outcome thereof; and

(d) to what extent quota of cotton for export from Gujarat has further enhanced for the current year?

THE MINISTER OF TEXTILES (SHRI R.L. JALAPPA): (a) to (d) Demands are received from various cotton producing States, from time to time, for release of quota of cotton for export.

No meeting of the Cotton Advisory Board was held in November, 1996.

During the 1996-97 season, the Gujarat State Cooperative Cotton Federation Ltd. has been allotted an export quota of 50,000 bales of cotton on 7-10-96. Further allocation would be considered after taking into account all relevant factors, including estimates of production, domestic demand and likely surplus.

Tax evasion in sale of Cielo cars

*387. SHRI SANJAY NIRUPAM:
SHRI O. P. KOHLI:

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government's attention has been drawn to a news report about a Rs. 25 crore tax evasion in sale of Cielo cars;